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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 24, 2007, please enter the following amendments and remarks. The Applicants also file herewith a petition for an extension of time to the present date, with payment of the appropriate fees. The Applicants filed separately this day, an Information Disclosure Statement by EFS-Web.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.